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AMENDMENT TRANSMITTAL LETTER			Attorney Docket No: BEA920010015US1
Application Serial Number: 09/917,314	Filing Date:	Examiner: Lee T. Khuong	Art Unit: 2665

Invention: Network node failover using path rerouting by manager component or switch port remapping

TO THE COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS:
Transmitted herewith is an amendment in the above-identified application. The fee has been calculated as shown below.

CLAIMS AS AMENDED

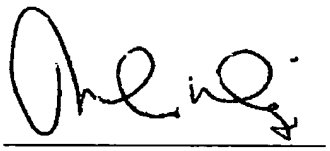
	CLAIMS REMAINING AFTER AMENDMENT		HIGHEST NUMBER PREVIOUSLY PAID FOR	NO. OF EXTRA CLAIMS PRESENT	RATE	ADDITIONAL FEE
TOTAL CLAIMS	20	MINUS	20	0	$50	$ 0.00
INDEP. CLAIMS	3	MINUS	3	0	$200	$ 0.00

____ Petition is hereby made under 37 CFR 1.136(a) to extend the time for response to the Office Action of 12/16/2004 to and through ____, comprising an extension of the shortened statutory period of:

____ one month ($120.00) ____ three months ($1,020.00)
____ two months ($450.00) ____ four months ($1,590.00)

TOTAL ADDITIONAL FEE FOR THIS AMENDMENT	$0

X No additional fee is required.



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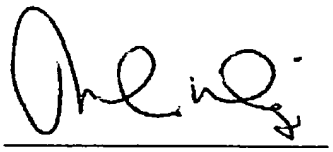

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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicant(s): Vivek Kashyap	
Application No.: 09/917,314 (CONF 9560)	Group Art Unit: 2665
Filed: 7/27/2001	Examiner: Lee T. Khuong
Title: Network node failover using path rerouting by manager component or switch port remapping	
Attorney Docket No.: BEA920010015US1	

Assistant Commissioner for Patents
Washington, D.C. 20231

RESPONSE TO OFFICE ACTION

Dear Sir:

In response to the Office Action of July 27, 2005, please amend the application as follows and consider the following remarks.